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SUBJECT: PROPOSED WMO RAIN AUGMENTATION EXPERIMENT

1. REQUEST EMBASSY INFORM UNEP OFFICIALS THAT WE ARE PLEASED WITH THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED AT THE SEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION REGARDING THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL WEATHER MODIFICATION PROGRAM, AND THAT WE BELIEVE A PRECIPITATION ENHANCEMENT PROJECT IS PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE.

2. WE HOPE THAT UNEP WILL SUPPORT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION IN THE DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL WEATHER MODIFICATION PROGRAM.

3. (FYI: THIS WMO RESOLUTION IS RELATED TO THE SAHELIAN RAIN AUGMENTATION EXPERIMENT DEVELOPED BY THE U.S. WHICH HAS BEEN DISCUSSED WITH FROSC. WMO HAS AGREED TO CONDUCT

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U.S. PROPOSED BUT DECIDED TO REVIEW POSSIBLE LOCATIONS
INCLUDING THE SAHEL. WE ARE AGREEABLE TO PROCEED IN THIS
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